

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM TABLES

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Program Disclosures

As articulated in Standard I.B.2, programs may have “admission and employment policies that directly relate to affiliation or purpose” that may be faith-based or secular in nature. However, such policies and practices must be disclosed to the public. Therefore, programs are asked to respond to the following question.

Does the program or institution require students, trainees, and/or staff (faculty) to comply with specific policies or practices related to the institution’s affiliation or purpose? Such policies or practices may include, but are not limited to, admissions, hiring, retention policies, and/or requirements for completion that express mission and values.	<div style="margin-bottom: 10px;">_____ Yes</div> <div>X No</div>
If yes, provide website link (or content from brochure) where this specific information is presented:	

Internship Program Admissions

Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicants in assessing their likely fit with your program. This description must be consistent with the program’s policies on intern selection and practicum and academic preparation requirements:			
The Syracuse VA Medical Center accepts interns through the auspices of the Department of Veterans Affairs Psychology Training Program. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and doctoral candidates in Clinical or Counseling Psychology from programs accredited by the American Psychological Association. We encourage applications from all qualified candidates, regardless of ethnic, racial, or gender identity, sexual orientation, disability or other minority status; our staff believes we are a stronger institution and training program when we increase diversity of personal and cultural difference among staff and trainees. Applicants making a good match with this program often have strong experience or interest in becoming a well-rounded generalist, given our year-long experiences in psychotherapy and psychological assessment. Interest and experience with specialty areas such as PTSD, Health Psychology and Integrated Primary Care, Substance Treatment, and/or Research also fit very well with this program. For more information, please see our program brochure and the section, “Applying to the Program.”			
Does the program require that applicants have received a minimum number of hours of the following at time of application? If Yes, indicate how many:			
	No	Yes	Amount
Total direct contact intervention hours	X		
Total direct contact assessment hours	X		

Financial and Other Benefit Support for Upcoming Training Year

Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time Interns	\$27,030	
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time Interns	NA	
Program provides access to medical insurance for intern?	Yes	
If access to medical insurance is provided:		
Trainee contribution to cost required?	Yes	
Coverage of family member(s) available?	Yes	
Coverage of legally married partner available?	Yes	
Coverage of domestic partner available?		No
Hours of Annual Paid Personal Time Off (PTO and/or Vacation)	104	
Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	104	
In the event of medical conditions and/or family needs that require extended leave, does the program allow reasonable unpaid leave to interns/residents in excess of personal time off and sick leave?	Yes	
Other benefits (please describe):		
In addition to annual and sick leave, Interns receive 10 paid federal holidays and up to 5 days of authorized absence for qualifying training-related activities (e.g., presenting a poster, meeting with dissertation committee, VA post-doctoral fellowship interviews).		

*Note. Programs are not required by the Commission on Accreditation to provide all benefits listed in this table.

Initial Post-Internship Positions
(Provide an Aggregated Tally for the Preceding 3 Cohorts)

	2018-21	
Total # of interns who were in the 3 cohorts	12	
Total # of interns who did not seek employment because they returned to their doctoral program/are completing doctoral degree		
	PD	EP
Academic teaching	0	1
Community mental health center	0	0
Consortium	0	0
University Counseling Center	0	0
Hospital/Medical Center	0	0
Veterans Affairs Health Care System	5	1
Psychiatric facility	1	0
Correctional facility	0	0
Health maintenance organization	0	0
School district/system	0	0
Independent practice setting	3	1
Other	0	0

Note: “PD” = Post-doctoral residency position; “EP” = Employed Position. Each individual represented in this table should be counted only one time. For former trainees working in more than one setting, select the setting that represents their primary position.